Political (1896) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 732

Dated 16-10-96

[Despatch Abstract.]

Commᵈ. to the Resᵗ. in T & C for the necessary action, proceedings, Rev dept., passing orders on the statement showing the abkari revenue realized in ~~derived from~~ the Periyar Camps and the expenditure incurred in administering Police & Criminal jurisdiction in the Camps.

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IRRIGATION.

Govt. of {1896} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated January, 21st.

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O. No. 78 I., 21st Jan. 1896.

JANUARY.

Periyar Project

Orders directing that Rs. 82,000 be added to the balance available for unforeseen works of the — and authorizing the Examiner of Public Works Accounts to pass the expenditure incurred on certain Periyár works in the Madura division.

From W. HUGHES, Esq., Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department; dated Trichinopoly, 5th December 1895, No. 816 M.D.

I have the honour to submit, for sanction of Government, the following extract from the completion statement of the Madura division for the month of September 1895 regarding works of the Periyár project:—

Item No.	Name of work.	Amount of estimate.	Authority sanctioning the estimate.	Outlay.	Excess over estimate.
		RS.		RS.	RS.
1	Constructing a rest-house at Pulipatty, XI reach, main channel	2,150	Superintending Engineer's Register No. 144 of 1893-94.	2,811	324
	Excess over estimate sanctioned in G.O. No. 815 I., dated 5th October 1895 ..	337			
	Total ..	2,487			
2	Excavation of 6th branch channel ..	6,745	G.O. No. 51 I. of 23rd January 1888	6,874	129

2. The completion statements and reports have been duly verified by the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Madras.

ORDER—No. 78 I., dated 21st January 1896.

In the circumstances reported by the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, instead of the sum of Rs. 85,000 proposed by the Superintendent of Works, only Rs. 82,000 will be added to the balance available for unforeseen works of the Periyár project, the existing sanctions being reduced as shown below:—

Sub-head.	Existing sanction.	Revised sanction.	Amount added to unforeseen works balance.
	RS.	RS.	RS.
Head works.			
Buildings	3,50,000	2,90,000	60,000
Miscellaneous	1,80,000	1,78,000	2,000
Maintenance	96,645	76,645	20,000
Total ..	6,26,645	5,44,645	82,000

2. The Examiner of Public Works Accounts is authorized to pass the expenditure incurred on the works referred to in the letters from the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, the excesses aggregating Rs. 602, together with the excess of Rs. 110 referred to in G.O. No. 884 I., dated 29th October 1895, being met from the amount available for unforeseen works of the Periyár project, which will then be reduced to Rs. 81,360.

3. This sanction is registered as No. 180 I. of 1895-96.

(True Extract.)

Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.,

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
„ Superintending Engineer, VI Circle.
„ Superintendent of Works, No. I Periyár Division.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
„ Revenue Department.

Exd. Md. Pahilvan.
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Political (1896) Department.

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From The Revenue dept

Order Mis No. 732 d/16th October 1896

Communicated to the Resident in Travancore & Cochin for the necessary action

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No. 3964 Mis

Dated 3rd Oct. '96

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SUBJECT

Passing orders on the statement submitted by the Collector of Malabar showing the revenue derived from the management of abkari Revenue in the Periyar camps and the expenditure incurred in ~~[illegible]~~ administering police and magisterial jurisdiction

Resident in T&C. (A. of R.D. order only with all encls in orig)
Rev. Dept. (Q)

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Revenue Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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READ Endorsement of the Political Department, No. 1488, dated 28th July 1896.

copy attached READ also Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, Separate Revenue, No. 3883 Mis., dated 15th September 1896.

ORDER thereon, No. 3964 Mis., d/ 3rd Octr. 1896.

In October 1894, His Highness the Maharajah of Travancore ceded to this Government the abkari jurisdiction over the Periyar camps on condition that the net abkari revenue realized by the Government should be paid to him after deducting the expenditure incurred in raising the revenue and for administering Police and criminal jurisdiction in the camps.

2. In the papers marginally* noted, the Dewan requests that the net revenue due for the Travancore year ending with 15th August 1895 may be remitted to his office.

*No. 967 dated 9th Octr. 1895, forwarded with the Resident's letter No. 3080 d/ 16th Octr. 1895. Reminder No. 1428 d/ 30" May 1896 from the Resident.

3. In G. O. No. 206 Political, dated 27th March 1895, the Collector of Madura was directed to submit an account showing the gross revenue realized and the actual expenditure incurred during the official year. Orders will be issued to the Collector to make up the account for the Travancore year as apparently desired by the Dewan.

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Superintendent of Works issued temporary licenses for the sale of liquor. The gross revenue realized from this date to the 15th August 1895 is shown in Statement No. I appended to this order.

5. No expenditure appears to have been incurred in collecting the abkari revenue. Before calculating the cost of maintaining Police and Magisterial establishments, it is necessary to settle the date from which the deduction of charges has to take effect. In the Resident's telegram dated 18th Septr. 1894, it was stated "Deduction to take effect from date revenue collected by British". But in the subsequent communication by letter Ref. on C. No. 2978 dated 22nd idem, the following words were used:---"the deduction to take effect from the date the abkari revenue is collected by British officers under the British Abkari Act". The notification applying the Act to the Periyar camps dated 21st February 1895 was published in the Fort St. George Gazette on the 5th March 1895, ~~xxxxxxxxxx xx xxxxxxxxxx xxx xxxxxx~~ It has to be decided whether the charges should be deducted from 11th October 1894 or 5th March 1895. The Resident in Travancore and Cochin will be requested in the Political Department to ascertain how the Travancore Government has understood the arrangement.

6. In the meantime the Board of Revenue is requested to direct the Collector of Madura to verify the figures in Statement No. I referred to in para 4, and in Statements II & III showing respectively the expenditure incurred from 11th Octr. 1894 and 5th March 1895 to the end of the Travancore year. Similar statements should be prepared for the Travancore ~~xxxx~~ year ending 15th August 1896 and submitted through the Accountant General.

(True Extract)

[signature]

For Ag. Secretary to Govt.

To the Board of Revenue, Separate Revenue.
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To the Board of Revenue, Separate Revenue.
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" Accountant General.

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Govt. of (1896) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

22/1/96

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G.O. 21/1/1896, No. 78 I.

Periyar Project.

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No 78 I. of 21st January 1896

Read the following:-

from Supt of Works, No. 1 Periyar Dn. No. 141 C.E. of 16 Nov /95

to C. No. 3652 of 25 Nov. /95

from C. .. 4556 D/B of 21 Dec /95

from Supg Eng VI No. 752 M.D. of 16 Nov /95

from do. 816 M.D. of 5 Dec /95

Decision

Irregular account

Order thereon.

In the circumstances reported by the Examiner of P.Wa instead of the sum of Rs 85,000 proposed by the Supt of Works, only Rs 82000 will be added to the balance available for unforeseen works of the Periyar Project, the existing sanctions being reduced as shown below:-

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Subhead.	Existing sanction	Revised sanction	Amount added to unforeseen works balance
Headworks –	Rs	Rs	Rs
Buildings –	3,50,000	2,90,000	60,000
Miscellaneous.	1,80,000	1,78,000	2,000
Maintenance.	96,645	76,645	20,000
Total	6,26,645	5,44,645	82,000

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3. This sanction is registered as No. 180 I of 1895-96.

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To
the Chief Engr for I.
Supdg Engr VI
Supdg Works, No.
1 Periyar Dn.
Ex. P.W.D.
Rev Dept

15/1/96

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Increasing the balance for unforeseen works, Periyar Project

F.C.D. 21/1

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No. 752 and 1

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

6TH CIRCLE,

Trichinopoly, 16 November 1895.

D 16/-

FROM

W. Hughes Esquire,

~~THE~~ SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

6th CIRCLE.

TO

THE CHIEF ENGINEER,

P.W.D.

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SIR,

ENCLOSURES.

I have the honor to submit for sanction of Govt, the following extract from the Completion Statement of the Madura Dn for the month of August 1895, regarding wor[k] of the Periyar Project.

Item No:	Name of Work	Amount of Estimate	Authority Sanctioning the estimate	Outlay			Excess over Estimate	
1	Improvements to Kat-chikolam Rest House Main channel 1st Reach	600	Supt. Engineers Regr. No: 29 of 1894-95	749	"	"	149	"

2. The Completion Statement has been duly verified by the Examiner

250—13-11-93.

P. W. D. 6th CIRCLE

FROM

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

6TH CIRCLE.

TO

THE CHIEF ENGINEER,

P. W. D.

No. 752 md,

Dated 16 / Received 16 } November 1895.

Enclosures:

Submits for sanction of Govt., Extract from the completion statements of the Madura Dn. for August /95 regarding works of the Periyar Project.

Examiner of P. W. Accounts. Madras.

(L.D. 101)

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedt. Servant

W. Hughes

Supg. Engineer, VI Circle

Recd. 18.11.95

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To lie over pending disposal of P. W. C. No. 9129.

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OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

No. 816 md,

6TH CIRCLE,

Trichinopoly, 5' December 1895.

D 5/-

FROM

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TO

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2	Excavation of 6" Branch Channel	6,745	G.O. No: 51 I of 23-1-88	6,874	"	"	129	"	"
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2. The Completion Statements and Reports have been duly verified by the

250—13-11-93.

P. W. CURRENT No. 961

P. W. D. 6th CIRCLE

FROM

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
6TH CIRCLE.

TO

THE CHIEF ENGINEER,
P W D

No. 816 md

Dated 5 / Received 5 } December 1895.

Enclosures.

Requesting sanction of Govt., extract from the completion statements of the Madura Dn for September 1895, regarding works of the Periyar Project.

the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Madras.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your Most obedient Servant

[signature]
Supdg. Engineer
VI Circle

Recd: 6. 12. 95

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To lie over pending disposal of P.W.C.No. 9129.

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Statement showing the amount of revised estimate and expenditure to end of 95-96.

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Subhead	Amount of Revised estimate	Expenditure			Probable Balance on 1st April/96	Probable Balance on 1st April/97
		To end of 94-95	In 95-96	Total		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Headworks						
Buildings	3,50,000	2,59,999	26,001	2,86,000	64,000	60,000
Miscellaneous	1,80,000	169,829	2,671	1,72,500	7,500	5,000
Maintenance	96,645	70,612	4,888	75,500	21,145	20,000
	6,26,645	5,00,440	33,560	5,34,000	92,645	85,000

Periyar
16th November/95

A. Woodbridge Nisbet[?]
Supdt. of works
16/11 No. I Periyar Dn.

Enclosure No. 1416-S

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GOVT. OF MADRAS. 1895. P. W. DEPT.

EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS,

Madras, 2/ December 1895.

OFFICE NOTE No. 4556 D/B

To

W.

Your O.N.No.3652 C.of 25th.November 1895.

According to the Registers of this office the provision for unforeseen works viz Rs.60,000 has been fully exhausted and the expenditure up to end of 1894-95 against the sub heads shown in the statement should be as follows:-

Buildings......	Rs.2,60,415
Miscellaneous..	Rs.1,72,280
Maintenance....	Rs. 70,592
Total	Rs.5,03,287

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From

The Superintendent of Works

No. 1 Perijar Division

To

The Chief Engineer

Public Works Dept.

Madras

Station Perijar

Dated 16 November 95

Enclosure one

No. 141 C.C

Statement showing the amount of revised estimate and Expenditure to end of 95-96 :— Submitting a — and pointing out certain inaccuracies in the provision of funds under unforeseen works.

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No. 3652 C d/ 25 November 1895

To C

For remarks with reference to para 3 and for rectification of expenditure up to end of 1894-95 shown in appended statement.

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in hand under the heads K. Build[illegible]
G. Miscellaneous, P. Maintenance on
31st March 1897 on which date the
construction account chargeable to
Capital will be closed. If thought
advisable the probable final balance
under these heads may be transferred
to unforeseen works and the sum
of Rs 110 kept at charge against the
head instead of being dealt wi[th]
as suggested in para 4. All excesses
in this Division can then be
provided for from the addition
to the sum for unforeseen works.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

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Supt. of Works
No. I Periyar Divn.

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exhausted.

3. So far as I can ascertain, the sum of Rs 60,000 allowed in the revised Estimate for unforeseen works has never really been spent. The sanctions of estimates for certain works reported in the quarterly return alluded to and previous returns appear to have been registered against the sum allowed for unforeseen works as were sanctioned excesses on the estimates of certain other works named in the same returns, but the expenditure was charged against various other heads such as K. Buildings, O. Miscellaneous, P. Maintenance. If this is correct the whole or a large portion of the sum (Rs 60,000) allowed for unforeseen works is yet available. Full information is not available in this office.

4. If this view is incorrect, I beg to suggest that the sum of Rs 110 be provided from the amount available in this Division under K. Buildings.

5. A statement is enclosed showing the amount which will probably be

in

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. 146 Code.

Office of the Superintendent of Works,
No. 1, Periyar Division.

Station Periyar dated 16th November 1895.

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FROM,
H. Trowbridge Keeling Esquire,
Superintendent of Works,
No. I, Periyar Division,
PERIYAR.

To,
THE Chief Engineer,
Public Works Department,
Madras.

ENCLOSURES. one

Sir,

With reference to G.O. No. 884 I dated 29th October /95, in which a sum of Rs 110 is ordered to be met from the amount available for unforeseen works at my disposal, I have the honour to inform you that the balance at my disposal is a minus figure (963) Vide Return of sanctions accorded by the Superintendent of works, No. I Periyar Division, for the quarter ending 30th September /95 and the figures noted in the margin.

2. I presume that the sum of Rs 110 was allotted from the sum supposed to be at my disposal because the sum under unforeseen works at the disposal of Chief Engineer was exhausted

Balance shown in the return for the quarter ended 30th September/95 — Rs 272
Excesses over the revised estimates sanctioned in October/95 — " -1235
-963

Yes

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Irrigation.

Read—the following papers :—

From H. T. Keeling, Esq., Superintendent of Works, No. I Periyár Division, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Periyár, 16th November 1895, No. 141 C.E.

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	RS.
Balance shown in the return for the quarter ended 30th September 1859.	272
Excesses over the revised estimates sanctioned in October 1895 ...	— 1,235
	— 963

2. I presume that the sum of Rs. 110 was allotted from the sum supposed to be at my disposal, because the sum under unforeseen works at the disposal of Chief Engineer was exhausted.

3. So far as I can ascertain, the sum of Rs. 60,000 allowed in the revised estimate for unforeseen works has never really been spent. The sanctions of estimates for certain works reported in the quarterly return alluded to and previous returns appear to have been registered against the sum allowed for unforeseen works as were sanctioned excesses on the estimates of certain other works named in the same returns, but the expenditure was charged against various other heads, such as K. Buildings, O. Miscellaneous, P. Maintenance. If this is correct, the whole or a large portion of the sum (Rs. 60,000) allowed for unforeseen works is yet available. Full information is not available in this office.

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5. A statement is enclosed showing the amount which will probably be in hand under the heads K. Buildings, O. Miscellaneous, P. Maintenance on 31st March 1897, on which date the construction account chargeable to Capital will be closed. If thought advisable, the probable final balance under these heads may be transferred to unforeseen works and the sum of Rs. 110 kept at charge against this head instead of being dealt with as suggested in paragraph 4, all excesses in this division can then be provided for from the addition to the sum for unforeseen works.

Enclosure.

Statement showing the amount of revised estimate and expenditure to end of 1895–96.

Sub-head.	Amount of revised estimate.	Expenditure. To end of 1894–95.	In 1895–96.	Total.	Probable balance on 1st April 1896.	Probable balance on 1st April 1897.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
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Buildings	3,50,000	2,59,999	26,001	2,86,000	64,000	60,000
Miscellaneous	1,80,000	1,69,829	2,671	1,72,500	7,500	5,000
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Total	6,26,645	5,00,440	33,560	5,34,000	92,645	85,000

No. 3652 C.

For remarks with reference to paragraph 3 and for verification of expenditure up to end of 1894–95 shown in appended statement.

(Signed) J. PENNYCUICK, Col., R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

25th November 1895.

Office-note from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Madras, dated 21st December 1895, No. 4556 D./B.

[Your office-note No. 3652 C. of 25th November 1895.]

According to the registers of this office, the provision for unforeseen works, viz., Rs. 60,000, has been fully exhausted and the expenditure up to end of 1894–95 against the sub-heads shown in the statement should be as follows :—

	RS.
Buildings	2,60,415
Miscellaneous	1,72,280
Maintenance	70,592
Total ...	5,03,287

From W. HUGHES, Esq., Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Trichinopoly, 16th November 1895, No. 752 M.D.

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		RS.		RS.	RS.
1	Improvements to Natchikolam rest-house, main channel, 1st reach.	600	Superintending Engineer's Register No. 29 of 1894–95.	749	149

2. The completion statement has been duly verified by the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Madras.